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**Subject:** RE: FOIA EPA-2022-005467 - Request for Assistance

Brittany and Earl,

You are welcome and have a great day!

Stacey

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Thank you so much, Stacey. You rock!

Brittany A. Pugh

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Hi Brittany,

I am following-up on our discussion earlier about the CBD FOIA request (EPA-2022-005467) for records of communication related to a section 18 emergency exemption application submitted to EPA

by the FDACS on December 3, 2021 for use of clothianidin on immature citrus trees beginning April 10, 2022 to present.

The Emergency Response Team (ERT) has identified the names below for records of communication of EPA OPP or any higher-up program or office that may have had any communications with the FDACS via email.

1. Marietta Echeverria, Acting Director, Registration Division, OPP
2. Eric Bohnenblust, PhD, Chief (MUERB) Registration Division OPP

3. David Lieu, Acting Senior Regulatory Specialist, ERT (MUERB) OPP
4. Stacey Groce, ERT (MUERB) OPP
5. \*\*\*Jake Li, Deputy Assistant Administrator for Pesticide Programs - Jake has been involved in discussions with FL FWS but ERT is unsure if he has had any direct email communications with FDACS.

Please let me know if you have any other questions.

Thanks,

Stacey

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Hi Stacey,

We received the following FOIA request:

“ The Center is requesting from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (“EPA”), Office of Pesticide Programs (“OPP”) from April 10, 2022 to the date EPA conducts this search:

1. The records of communications of EPA OPP or any higher-up program or office that include the email extension “@fdacs.gov” generated in connection to FDACS’ Recertification Request for Belay Insecticide for the 2022 Use Season (Dec. 3, 2021), EPA Docket #EPA-HQ-OPP-2021-0952-0003; and
2. The notes generated in connection to meetings or phone calls about the abovementioned subject matter in Item #1.”

Can you help me identify the people who worked on the Recertification Request for Belay Insecticide project?

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